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Announcement of Normal Public Rice Tender

And 2nd SBS Rice Tender

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Report Highlights:

Taiwan has announced a rice tender for a total 29,900 tons on a brown basis for public sector imports. In total, Taiwan has announced public sector rice tenders for 63,400 tons of rice, of which 19,380 tones, including 480 tons of SBS rice, has been contracted for. Taiwan plans to announce another public rice tender in the coming week for the remaining 30,668 tons, one-third of the 2006 public rice quota.

Includes PSD Changes: No
Includes Trade Matrix: No
Unscheduled Report
Taipei [TW1]
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Announcement of Public Rice Tenders:

On December 1, Taiwan announced tenders for 29,900 tons of public sector rice on a brown rice basis. Technical tenders are scheduled for December 15 and price tenders for December 20. The second SBS tender for 5,000 tons on a brown basis was also announced for December 22 price bids. Taiwan has announced 63,400 tons of public rice quota tender schedules, of which 19,380 tones, including 480 tons of SBS rice, has been contracted for. Taiwan plans to announce another public rice tender in the coming week for the remaining 30,668 tons of the 2006 public rice quota.

Tender Descriptions:

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-950238

Commodity: 10,000 Tons of Medium Grain Brown Rice

Crop Year: 2006

Technical Tender Date: December 15, 2006

Price Tender Date: December 20, 2006

Delivery Term: The rice needs to be delivered to the Council of Agriculture (COA) designated Warehouses within 115 days from the tender awarded/contracted date.

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-950239

Commodity: 13,000 tons of Medium Grain Brown Rice

Crop Year: 2006

Technical Tender Date: December 15, 2006

Price Tender Date: December 20, 2006

Delivery Term: The rice needs to be delivered to the Council of Agriculture (COA) designated Warehouses within 115 days from the tender awarded/contracted date.

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-950240

Commodity: 2,000 tons of Medium or Short Grain Milled Rice (2,300 tons brown equivalent).

Crop Year: 2006

Technical Tender Date: December 16, 2006

Price Tender Date: December 20, 2006

Delivery Term: The rice needs to be delivered to the Council of Agriculture (COA) designated Warehouses within 115 days from the tender awarded/contracted date.

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-950241

Commodity: 3,000 tons of Long Grain Milled Rice (3,450 tons brown equivalent).

Crop Year: 2006

Technical Tender Date: December 15, 2006

Price Tender Date: December 20, 2006

Delivery Term: The rice needs to be delivered to the COA designated warehouses by March 30, 2007.

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-950242

Commodity: 1,000 tons of Long Grain Milled Glutinous Broken Rice (1,150 tons brown equivalent).

Crop Year: 2006

Technical Tender Date: December 15, 2006

Price Tender Date: December 20, 2006

Delivery Term: The rice needs to be delivered to the COA designated warehouses by March 30, 2007.

Tender Invitation No.: GF4-9502230

Commodity: 5,000 tons of Brown Rice (2nd SBS Tender)

Crop Year: 2006

Price Tender Date: December 22, 2006

Delivery Term: January 1 to April 30 in 2007

Attachments: (1) Specification of Broken Rice & (2) Its Specification Allowance

(1). Type and Quality Specification of Imported Long Grain Glutinous White Broken Rice

1. Type:

- (1) Long grain .the ratio of length to width of whole kernel: 3.0. Glutinous White Broken rice.
- (2) Milling degree: well milled.

2. Quality Specification:

Maximum Limit						
Moisture	Impurities	Damaged kernels	Heat damaged kernels	Off-type kernels And Non-opaque Waxy kernels	Small brokens	Whole kernels
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13.5	0.3	2	0.3	7	5	10

Notes:

1. Product shall not contain insect, insect eggs or residues, and the characters should meet the sanitary standards for general foods which were announced by the department of Health.
2. The characters of appearance should be in accord with that of original sample or be even better.
3. The bran should be removed completely.

Definition.

Characters of appearance: The degree of bran has been removed, the size of kernel, uniform, luster, etc.

Impurities.The materials which pass through 1.4 mm sieve or which remain on the sieve other than rice kernels.

Damaged kernels.Whole or broken kernels of rice which are distinctly damaged and deteriorated by moist, fungus and insect, or any other reasons, exclude heat damaged kernels.

Heat damaged kernels: Whole or broken kernels of rice which are discolored to yellow or darker owing to microbiological heating.

Off-type kernels.Kernels which are not the designated type.

Small brokens.The small broken kernels that pass through 1.7 mm sieve .CNS386 Test Sieves..but which are remained on the 1.4mm sieve.

Whole kernels.Kernels of rice that are in whole condition without any broken part, including the kernels that have the length as from three-fourths onward.

Non-opaque waxy kernels.Waxy kernels of which have not performed opaque appearance.

(2). Imported Long Grain Glutinous White Broken Rice Quality Allowance Specification

Maximum Limit				
Moisture	Impurities	Damaged kernels	Heat damaged kernels	Off-type kernels And Non-opaque Waxy kernels
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14	0.5	4	0.5	10

Notes:

1. Product shall not contain insect, insect eggs or residues, and the characters should meet the sanitary standards for general foods which were announced by the department of Health.
2. The characters of appearance should be in accord with that of original sample or be even better.
3. The bran should be removed completely.